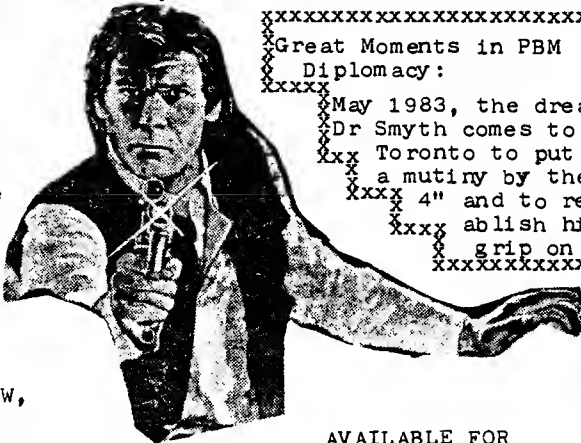


STREET PLACES KNIGHTS

can be

used at home to reverse the pull of gravity. It also improves circulation and gives you renewed vitality.

NOTICE to Canadians: Y'all are now members of Zone 11 of the PEOPLES DIPLOMACY ORG. The zone Kommissar for Zone 11 is....ahem...me. If you do not yet have your PDO membership card then let me know. Mike Mills (PDO Grand Kommissar) tells me that "A Mr Potatoe Head Good Friends club" has been formed. It is open to any PDO member who has been screwed by Steve Arnawoodian. Zone 11 PDO members can apply through me. are on inserts.



Trivia Quiz answers:

(1) a/ Mt Suribachi is in Iwo Jima b/ US Nickname=Hotrocks. (2) Blue Div= A unit of Spanish volunteers which served on the German side in the Russian front, late 1941 - April 1944. (3) The British fought the Vichy French in Madagascar in 1942. (4) Primary target for H bomb was Kokura. (5) Free French Intelligence Service=BCRA. (6) General George Pearkes was the General Officer CinC Pac Command Canada 1942-45. (7) The Japs occupied Attu and Kiska. (8) Tokyo Rose=Iva Ikuko Toguri D'Aguino (9) F6F=Hellcat, TBF/TBM= Avenger, OS2U=Kingfisher, SBD=Dauntless. (10) Otto Skorzeny rescued Mussolini. (11) Bellows, Hickam and Wheeler fields were the 3 US Army Air Corps installations on Oahu Hawaii. (12) Admiral Filip Oktyabrsky was the commander Soviet Black Sea Fleet. (13) The Mickey Finns was the name of the US Wolfpack that operated off Formosa and China. (14) The American Division was the only US div not designated by a number. (15) the 1st Special Service Force was the US/Canadian unit specially trained to operate behind enemy lines in the snow.

Winner:

John Caruso 10½
 Dave Anderson 5½
 John Michalski 4
 Kathy Byrne 2½
 Mark Keller 0½

**All time winners of
 three SK issues**

Due to a ruling by the
 Trivia Quiz ombudsman
 (See letter opposite)
 I am forced to double the
 number of issues recorded
 as won by Kathy Byrne. This
 adjusted chart reflects
 that decision:

Annalee Cohen	16
TRO Sherwood	9
George Mills	9
Andre Torres	5
John Caruso	5
Ben Schilling	4
Rob Winslow	3
Pete Ashley	3
Errol Platt	2
Jack Jung	2
Kathy Byrne	0
John Michalski	0
Woody	0

Thus I also change the
 results of TRIVIA QUIZ in
 #20. She now has 1 correct
 answer for that quiz

Woody, you are going to
 pay for that decision at
 ORIGINS. I'm thinking of
 something truly gruesome
 - like taking you to
 Windsor and abandoning you
 without an American/Canuck
 dictionary. Sigh....as much
 as I feared your threats
 I must admit that you are
 absolutely right about a
 New Yorker being able to
 put something in order
 being some sort of a
 achievement.

As for code names? I
 started off with Lord of
 the Ring names and now I'm
 into SF book titles. Yes,
 there was some duplication
 of names.

Talking of SC1-Fi, this
 issue's quiz is on the next
 page...whatever number
 that may be.....



We even have letters on the Trivia Quiz. From John Michalski: *I really must protest your quiz results. I know I only get one or two right but hell, Kathy gets listed as 0 so why not my 1. By now I ought to have 6-10 cumulative yet you don't even credit me for #3 last time! This time you add that 1 to the many correct I'll get on this easy WWII quiz!*

Sigh....The listing, John, is of the number of issues won by that person and not cumulative answers. I only list Kathy as 0 to show how ~~beneficial~~ bad she is. Talking of Kathy Byrne....*Here we go again, once again you choose to make me the target of ridicule by listing me as 0 points. That is definitely in dispute - I still say you're the one who is wrong! By the way Woody (North American Trivia Quiz Ombudsman) told me of your bribe! Well, that was easy to top. I offered to let him keep his entire country in another game, help him get a build and let him take me out to a Phillies game and feed me on July 4th Weekend. He's so happy! How you gonna top that one? ...Woody with a whole country!! What a waste! Kathy, I don't have to resort to further bribes cos Right is on my side. It's in your corner now Mr Arnawoodian. What's your decision?*

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Being called as an ombudsman can be quite touchy. It is a job that few people envy. However, I as a dedicated member of this hobby realize that the need for such a referee arises at times. In this particular case we have more than your usual case. This particular one has discriminatory overtones. First we have bag lady vs. wimp. That is followed by the always complicated New York battleax vs. French Camuck.

To handle this dispute properly and justly I had to get some advice from people who have the ability to think like foreigners. In this case I asked the advice of Gary Coughlan, long time expert on the customs of New Yorkers! Gary sent me 3 one hour tapes on the subject. I then had to turn these tapes over to Mike Mills who speaks southern. Mike in turn translated the tapes. Gary Followed up the tapes with 2 ten page reports! Understanding the New York mind was a great help in determining just how I would rule. And I thank Mr. Coughlan for his help.

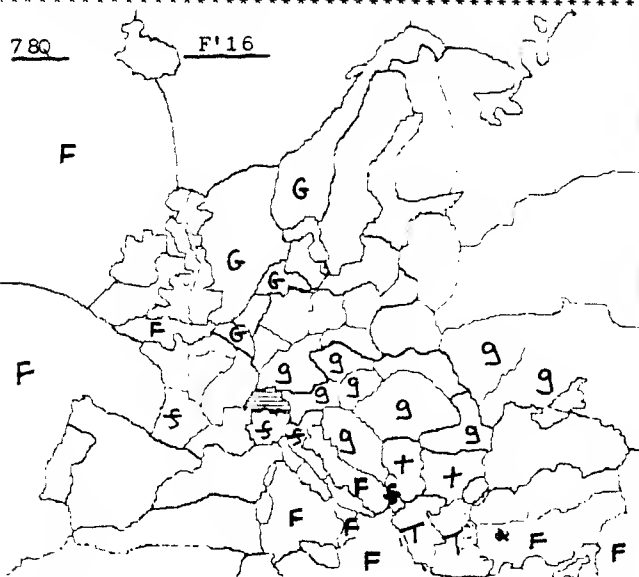
When I first heard from Ms. Byrne I immediately checked her story in SLEEPLESS KNIGHTS issue 20. Dave had a quiz in this issue. He stated that quiz entrants were to put the following in order. Kathy entered and put them in alphabetical order. When the results were printed in the next SK., Kathy Byrne was not given credit. Much to Ms. Byrne's Chagrin. Quite often in a dispute there is no clear cut right and wrong. However this is not the case here. Mr. Carter stated to his readers that they were to put a list in order. Ms. Byrne did. Not only do I award Ms. Byrne the quiz points coming to her, which she earned. But I also order Mr. Carter to double her point total in his continuous running quiz. This may sound a bit harsh. But there are two reasons for this

- 1) Mr. Carter not giving Ms. Byrne any points caused undo stress. This stress can be considered the primary reason for Ms. Byrne to have entered the hospital in the past few months for surgery.
- 2) We have witnessed a miracle here! A New Yorker placing something in order. This is a first. New York is the most disorganized place in the universe. Mr. Carter should have awarded quiz points just on that basis. At least he should have if he had any compassion in his heart. But what can you expect from a French Canadian.

Ms. Byrne also threw in a second complaint about this French Canadian, Dave Carter. It seems that her code name is Shirley Temple. Ms. Byrne also heard rumors that others in the zine had the same code name. There is no doubt that this is true. However you have to remember that French Canadians are not known for their wit or imagination. So what if Carter gives the same code name to a dozen or so subbers. Code names are only necessary for players and since only French Canadians play in SK it is not necessary to have code names which are different. As these players will never know. In fact the saying "if you had brains you'd be dangerous" was first said in reference for a French Canadian. In this case let's leave well enough alone.

If Ms. Byrne does not receive the proper repartitions by origins '83. Mr. Carter will receive a just punishment. In this case it will be rooming with Al Pearson on Fri night at origins. This means that Dave will not sleep that night, since al is the world champ in snoring (1972-1975, 1977-1982) On sat. night he will have to room with that simple minded antelope, Bruce Linsey. This means that Dave will be shunned by his fellow French Canadians. We'll just have to see how bright Mr. Carter is.

Cordially, *Woody* Woody



Note: The following orders should have succeeded last season:
FRA: f ion - eas, f alb - ion, a apu - alb. The Turkish fleet in EAS was d/a.

FRA Bob Acheson (13) a tri - ven, a pie s a tri - ven, a gas - bur, f eng - nth, f spa sc - mao, f nao - nwg, f adr - tri, f eas - smy, f syr s f eas - smy, f nap - ion, f tyr s f nap - ion, f ion - gre, a alb s f ion - gre.

GER Randolph Smyth (14) f nwy - nwg, f kie - hel, f hol - nth, f bel s f hol - nth, a mun - bur, a tyr - pie, a boh - tyr, a bud - tri, a vie s a bud - tri, a gal - bud, a rum - ser, a ukr - rum. a sev s a ukr - rum.

TUR Steve Berrigan (7) f gre s f aeg - ion, f aeg - ion, a smy h d/r (otb, con, ank, arm), a bul s f gre, a ser s a bul.

SC Chart:

F: bre, mar, par, spa, por, edi, lpl, lon, nap, tun, rom, ven, ~~fff~~, SMY (13) Even.

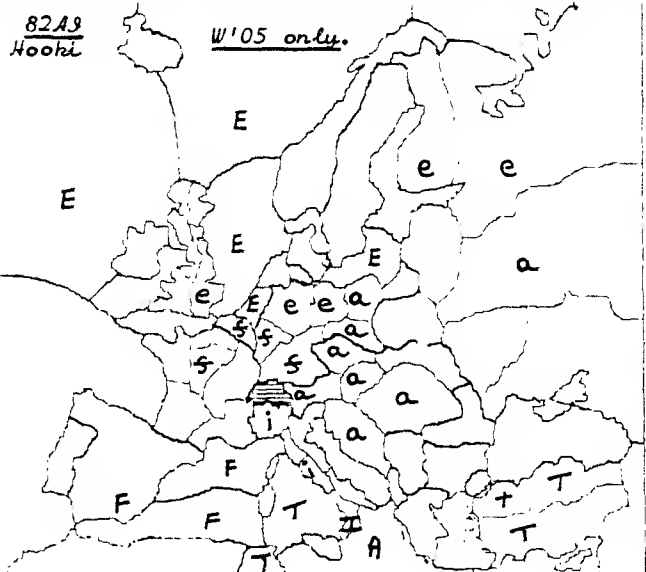
G: mun, ber, kie, hol, bel, den, ~~wwe~~, nwy, war, mos, sev, stp, vie, bud, TRI, RUM (16) Build 3 as played 1 short but only has room for 2 builds.

T: ank, con, ~~fff~~, bul, gre, ~~fff~~, ser (5) Even as 2 d/a.

Press:

Turkey to France and Germany: One of you guys voted against the draw - so who wants to go for the solo win? Better reveal yourself very shortly or otherwise I won't be around ~~for~~ to help!

Game Notes: W'16 and S'17 due Friday August 5th.



AUS Steve Arnawoodian (9) Build a vie, a stp ret mos. Also has a mos, a bud, a vie, a tri, a tyr, f ion, a sil, a pru, a boh.

ENG Blair Cusack (10) Build a lon. Also has f nat, f nwg, f nth, f bal, a stp, a fin, a kie, a ber, f hol.

FRA Robert Jewett (7) Has a par, abel, f wes, f spa sc, f gol, a mun, a ruh.

ITA Rob Loves (3) Remove f Adr. Has f nap, a pie, a rom.

TUR Tom Swider (5) Buil f Smy and f Ank. Also has a con, f tun, f tys.

Press:

Italy: England and France against Austria and Turkey with Italy caught in the middle. Any chance of becoming the new Switzerland?

Paris: Paris celebrates the demise of the German Empire with the dissolution of the last German army in Picardy near the town of Waterloo. Now the army guarding the capitol can be deployed to the front

Game Notes: No to the EFA draw. We have 2 proposals to vote on for next season. A Concession to England and a AEFT draw. NMR=YES, no vote=NO. Orders are on file for Spring for all. S'06 DUE FRIDAY AUG 5th.

LAMOTIEN(DD) 82 Ird 05 FALL 1904

DUE:AUG 6/83 GM:B.C.HICKEY

AUS-GER

Naughty!Naughty!I warned you.You are a BAD boy.Now go and sit in the corner...or do something smart like attack Blair Cusack

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1983 AU(QUILST) PRE-START ~~EXED~~DUE:AUG 6/83 GM:B.C.HICKEY

As per previously allowed a request for an extension of opening dd has been granted be forewarned that this new dd is strictly enforced

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1979KH WINTER 1911 DUE AUG 6/83 GM:B.C.HICKEY

A request for winter only has been granted
English f hol retreats to hel and f nth ret to nwg
no other moves.

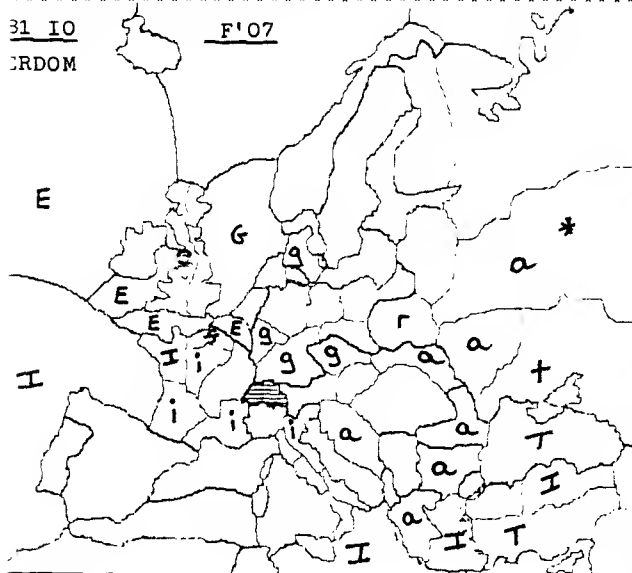
Great Moments in
PBM Diplomacy.



Kathy Byrne at Age 10 organizes her first game of Diplomacy. Mr Clown (In bed with Kathy) is actually Steve Arnawoodian in Disguise.

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Press:

Rome - Picardy: Chow!

Naples-Emily Township: Go sit in a peat bog.

Rome: Bidding is now open for those who would like a share of Weinerschnitzel.

He's all your's blair. The twittle twarp has stabbed us both now - I see no point in keeping him around as a buffer. I'll tie up England and Germany while you get mobilized.

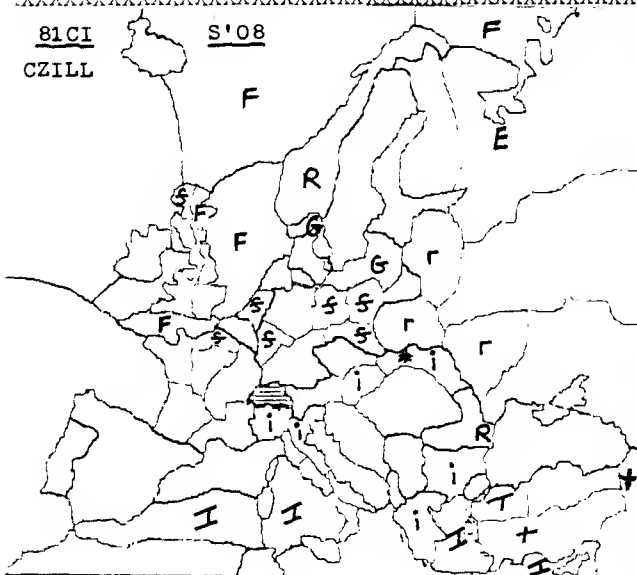
Venice - GM: You keep spelling the Kaiser's name wrong - it's Weidemeyer.

GM-Venice: No, I keep spelling the Pope's name wrong.

Game Notes: Just to clarify the name situation which I always manage to mess up. GERMANY is Fred Wiedemeyer and Italy is Mark Weidmark. Arguments to the contrary should be sent to me before the next deadline. Next deadline is W'07 and S'08 on FRIDAY AUG 5th

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S'08



AUS Rob Lowes (7): a war - mos, a ukr s a war - mos, a bud - gal, a tri s german a mun - tyr NSO, a ser - bul, a gre s a ser - bul, a rum s a ser - bul.

ENG Peter Walker (6): f wal - iri, f nao s f wal - iri, f eng s f bre - mao, f bre - mao d/a, f bel s f eng, a edi h NSU, a lpl UNO h.

FRA Jack Jung (1): a par ret pic, a pic - bel.

GER Fred Wiedemeyer (5): f nwg - nth, a den h, a sil - boh, a ruh - bur, a mun s a ruh - bur.

ITA Mark Weidmark (10): f mao - bre, a gas s f mao - bre, f iri - eng d/a, f wes - mao, f aeg s austrian a gre -bul, f eas - ion, f ank - Alpha Centauri ((Surprise!)) h, a ven - tri, a mar - bur, a par s a mar - bur.

RUS Dave Anderson (2) a liv - war, a mos s a liv - war d/r (liv, stp, otb).

TUR Blair Cusack (3): a arm - sev, f bla s a arm - sev, f con - smy.

sc chart: A: tri, ser, bud, vie, rum, bul, ~~war~~, MOS, GRE (8) Build 1.

E: edi, nwy, lon, bel, hol, ~~par~~, LPL (6) Build 1 as 1 d/a.

F: ~~par~~ (0) OUT.

G: mun, kie, den, swe, ber (5) Even.

I: rom, nap, ven, tun, mar, spa, por, ~~gre~~, ~~lpl~~, con, ANK, BRE, PAR (11) Build 2 as onewas d/a. Alpha Centauri is not a supply center.

R: stp, ~~par~~, WAR (2) Even.

T: smy, ~~par~~, sev (2) remove 1.

Note: Last season's map showed an Italian Fleet in TYr when it should not have been. It should have been in ION.

ENG Al Incorvaia (1) f bar - stp nc.

FRA Andre Torres (13) f eng - nth, f edi s f eng -nth, f mao - eng, f nwy - bar, f nwg s f nwy - bar, a hol h, a bel - ruh, a sil - war, a pru s a sil -war, a gal s a sil - war d/r (boh, otb), a ber s a pru, a par - pic, a cly h.

Ger Jack Jung (2) f den - ska, f kie - bal.

ITA Randolph Smyth (10) a ven - pie, a rom - ven, f tun - wes, f nap - tyr, a bud - gal, a vie s a bud - gal, a gre s a bul, a bul h, f ion - aeg, f eas s f ion - aeg.

RUS Dave Head (5) f ska - nwy, a war h, a liv s a war, a ukr s a war, f rum h.

TUR Robert Jewett (3) a con - smy, f aeg - con, a smy -arm.

Press:

England-Italy: The people of Spain and Portugal can no longer stand the wine snobs of France. They cry out for your help and some vintage Dago Red!

GM-England: It doth appear that a relief fleet of Chianti is on the way.

England-France: Two farts in your general direction for assumi

that those reports of decommissioning older vets in favour of more youthfull rookies to be true. These rumors will never be confirmed as they are absurd!!!!

Rome - Paris: And so the die is cast, our 7 year agreement violated. Wether irreparably is up to you: my reasons will reach you apace. Whatever happens now, I believe that neither of us have cause for complaint - It has been a fruitfull alliance.

Game Notes: The F/I draw failed but Italy wants it maffe known that he voted YES. We have a new proposal for a F/I/R/I draw. No vote=No but NMR=Yes F'08 DUE FRIDAY AUG 5th. COA Jewett on Page 1.



Did you hear about the Italian who was asked to be a Jehovah's Witness?
He refused because he didn't see the accident.
What's the difference between a negro and a tire? A: Tires don't sing when you put chains on them.
Why do mexican cars have such small steering wheels? A: So you can drive them with handcuffs on.
Why do they call camels the ships of the desert? A: Because they are full of Iranian seamen.
How can you tell when an Iranian girl is menstruating? A: She's only wearing 1 sock.

Influential Player Rankings - Update 9th June 1983.

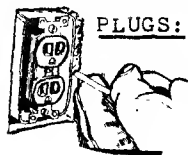
From Dan Stafford, 1643 Graniteway Ln, Columbus, OHIO, 43229 we get the latest IPR, updated to include EVERYTHING's #42-#56. EVERYTHING is the official zine of the Boardman Number Custodian (Now Kathy Byrne) and includes the starting lineups for new games as well as the final stats for finished games. The IPR is a ranking system of the games finished in the last five years. Points are awarded as follows: Win=1, 2 way draw=1/2, 3 way=0.3, 4 way=0.2, 5 way= 0.1.

<u>RANK.</u>	<u>NAME.</u>	<u>IPR</u>	<u>Wins/Draws.</u>	<u>Wins.</u>	<u>82/83 starts.</u>				
1.	Lee Kendter Snr	9.1	16	7	1	21.	Bill Becker	3.8	6
2.	Kathy Byrne	8.4	12	6	10	22.	Tom Ripper	3.8	6
3.	Jack Masters	7.3	10	6	1	23.	Blair Cusack	3.8	5
4.	Don Ditter	6.2	11	6	2	24.	Steve McLendon	3.7	7
5.	Dave Carter	5.3	11	2	-	25.	John Kador	3.5	6
6.	John Caruso	5.0	10	2	1	26.	Walter Blank	3.5	5
7.	RON USA Brown	5.0	8	4	3	27.	Greg Haskew	3.5	4
8.	Bill Hart	4.8	7	4	1	28.	H D Bassett	3.5	4
9.	Eric Verheiden	4.7	13	2	-	29.	John Michalski	3.4	9
10.	Dan Stafford	4.6	7	3	6	30.	Paul Rauterberg	3.4	7
11.	Ron Kelly	4.5	10	3	-	31.	Fred Townsend	3.3	5
12.	Stan Johnson	4.5	7	3	1	32.	John Kevern	3.2	7
13.	Arturo Guadardo	4.4	8	2	1	33.	Gene Boggess	3.0	6
14.	Bob Sergeant	4.4	7	4	2	34.	Dan MacLellan	3.0	6
15.	Dick Martin	4.3	8	3	2	35.	Bill Bryg	3.0	3
16.	Rick Kassel	4.1	6	3	-	36.	Eldon Nichol	3.0	3
17.	Dave Ditter	4.0	8	2	3	37.	Dave Crockett	3.0	3
18.	Eric Kirchner	4.0	8	2	-	38.	Mark Berch	2.9	5
19.	Bob Osuch	3.9	6	3	-	39.	Keith TRO Sherwood	2.8	10
20.	Tom Thornsen	3.9	6	3	1	40.	Al Pearson	2.8	4

The addition to the rankings this time is the number of gamestarts for 82/83. Dan feels that this gives fair indication of how currently active that player is. eg: One may presume that John Michalski's 17 game starts in the last 2 years indicate that he is an "active" player or that Dave Crockett's 0 game starts mean he was killed by the last of the mohicans. I suppose you are all wondering how I managed to go from unranked to #5 without a gamestart (No, you weren't?). I just bribe other GM's to give me neat standby positions.

That's all for now. Stay tuned for the next IPR to see if I can catch KK. I already done did pass JC.

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PLUGS: Unless you are desperate enough to play in SLEEPLESS KNIGHTS there are no current game openings in any of the Canadian zines. If you want to sub to another Canuck zine try:

NO FIXED ADDRESS, 103 Dunbar Rd S, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada, N2L 2E4. 10/\$6.50CDN. It has jokes, crossword puzzles, mathematical shit, Letters. Steve Hutton is the pubber and he does a good job.

SNAFU, Ron Brown, 1200 Summerville ave, Ottawa, ONT, Canada, K1Z 8G4. A little more tasteful than SK and now more family oriented. Baby pictures, articles (yes! Articles!!), letters, politics. 10/\$8.00 CDN.

If you are looking for games then you have to go south of the border....ENVOY, Roy Henricks, 128 Deerfield Dr, Pittsburg, PA, 15235, USA. Postage + 0.03125 cents per page. Deadlines are 5-6 weeks and Roy has openings in every game imaginable.

HAI JIKAI, Mark S Keller, 9536 Shumway dr, Orangevale, CA, 95662, USA. 30 cents/issue. Reg dip and many variants. Game fee \$2.

MODERN PATRIOT by William S Highfield, Midshipman 3rd class USNR, 2012 East Ridge Rd, Rochester, NY, 14622, USA. 10/\$5 US, game fee \$4 US. MP # 12/13 was a classic. 132 pages long (A new record for length altho' the old record by PASSCHENDAELE was full pages and not digest size.) It has many subzines, articles by various unimportant people, the Regan Youth Newsletter, fanatic defence of US Imperialism, some dirty stuff and abuse of Kathy Byrne.

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LETTER THINGIES.....

BOB ACHESON: I must say that lately I haven't been too impressed with your format. What's with those "Sunshine Boys"? Your readership is predominantly male and the few females are probably all aliases? Who wears the pants in your zine? Let's forget about those minority rights!.....also, Willowdale is to Downtown Toronto what Leduc is to Edmonton.....your picture and comments of the 'Big 4' is also misleading (except for Barry). Don't forget the Pride of Medicine Hat, the dreaded Smyth.. Also, don't defend the oilers, it was refreshing to see them lose, as it will be to watch the eskimoes lose this year. Edmonton has very arrogant sportswriters and fans. It'll be good for them to have losers..... Where's the official ballot for the "leader Poll"?....Anyways you still put out a 'fair' zine. I guess.

((Thanks, I think. Soo sorry about not sending out Leeder Poll ballots but it's too much to put all NA zines in alphabetical order since I'm not entirely sure about what all the US zines are. The hobby south of the border is a little more spread out than the neat little circle of 4 zines we have (NFA, FSF, SNAFU and SK) plus one outlaw zine (Baltic Sea).....I'm not familiar with Western sports fans and writers but I was sorry to see the Oilers go because they had been playing some real exciting type of hockey. After the Leafs I'll support any team that will entertain.....It's OK for you to tell me to stop putting in sunshine boys - you live 3000 miles north of here and don't have to face Kathy Byrne at ORIGINS in Detroit. I mean, players don't hand over their supply centers to Kathy just because she's a good diplomat ya know.))

Unless I've screwed up again this should be continued on Page X A/ X B 7

Sleepless Knights #24

Letters...

ROB WINSLOW: No, Mr Conlon, I never knocked SEC Football. I admitted that SEC basketball was very, very, good. However, you stressed "Yank" and "embarrassed" about NCAA football". Yank: a person from a Union State as opposed to one from a confederate state (or more commonly, all northerners). Pennsylvania: A "Yank" state. Penn State: In Pennsylvania. Penn State: NCAA Football champion. This Yank will brag about those Yanks even though they are not in "in my conference". If I went to college to see great sports I would have gone to a Division 1 school. However, I wished to get a good solid education. I think that's a valid reason to go to school, don't you? I'm not knocking all Division 1 Universities, just the ones whose sports are cheered at and whose diplomas are jeered at.

Dave, speaking of football, you don't really take the CFL seriously do you? You guys can kick our ass in hockey (Whoops, forgot about 1980 Olympic team) but football is better left south of the border. Maybe Someday Toronto and Montreal will get NFL franchises so you can see real football.

Congrats on the baby (I assume she/he is there by now). Just think, when you're waken up at 2:50 in the morning for a feeding you can think up new jokes for your readers.

((As much as I would like to get up 3 times a night to feed the l'il booger, Julie is breast-feeding and this sorta leaves me out on those 3 times a night feedings.....Montrael and Toronto will never get a NFL franchise because it has been long-said that the elimination of either/both of those teams could seriously weaken the CFL to the point of collapse. When the WFL tried to get a Toronto franchise the Liberal Governmen threatened to pass legislation that would forbid it. Hence the Toronto Northmen became the Memphis Southmen. YES, I do like CFL football. CFL football is my #1 favorite, followed by NHL hockey, NFL football, Baseball tiddlwwinks, shutes and ladders and then soccer.....Going to School for an education???How come I never thought of that one? I just leave all the highbrow stuff to Ron Brown and concentrate on the dirty parts))

PIERRE TOUCHETTE: Right now, I am playing in 15 games. My plan is to get ahead of Bob Acheson and you. OK Dave.

((OK by me. Right now I'm only in 20 games of which 3 are variants. Bob is probably in 25-30 but he cheats - he doesn't write....Just kidding,Bob heh, heh.))

STEVE HUTTON: It should have been Chevaliers Sans Repos, you wrote Sleepless Knight.

((What do you know, you're in Civil Engineering! Doesn't even have a decent football team! Actually, Yves wrote it down for me and in the Old SK tradition I managed to misread it. The pun on night was probably lost in the translation anyway.))

RON baby-boom BROWN: Now you're in for it! Things will never be the same for you. 18 years of having someone depend on you. Enjoy, My friend. And may your little fellow give you as much pleasure as Christopher gives us. The first few months development is so slow you can see every stage developing. But, after a while, skills start snowballing. One day he can sit up. The next day he's walking--or so it seems. Christopher can now take 4 or 5 steps before falling on his behind--and his babbling is starting to make sense. He's been saying "Caa Caa" everytime he see's a cat now--which show's he's learning to associate sounds with specific objects.

((Everything that youse new papa's told me about kids turned out be true. They are cute and they do need a lot of attention and the feeling that one gets when the little booger is born is really undescribable. Well, undescribable from a father's point of view. Julie would probably spell it R-E-L-I-E-F!!))

JOHN MICHALSKI: Picture: Hickey looks just like Hoss Pearson! And you are Paul Rauterberg, and Hutton, JRO's brother. Incredible!

((I gotta agree with that last remark!))

MARK KELLER: The latest Dumarest of Terra book that I have is #27 "Earth is Heaven" (I'm currently reading it). It was published in the US in December 1982. I expect a new one out soon if it's not out already.

The Commodore 64 is now going for \$300-\$400 in the US and you get \$100 back from Commodore. I just got my 64. More on the experience in the next JJOJ later this month.

((Nice trick Mark. Now I have to explain what TFOT is and give you a plug. TFOT is a zine put out by... Mark Keller, 9536 Shumway dr, Orangevale, CA, 95662 and it deals with computers and their use in Diplomacy. The zine is a nominal 30 cents per issue and worth it. You don't have to have a degree in computer psychology to enjoy the articles.....The last Dumarest book that I read was #26 "The Coming Event" and that was April 1982 so I'm missing one. I have all the Dumarest books going back to #1. In fact, I must have close to 300-400 sci-fi books in my "Library". Won't little Adam be happy to have so much to read!))

SCOTT HANSON: Were you the one collecting nicknames of cities? The Official nickname of Minneapolis is "City of Lakes" since we have, uh, several lakes in the city. Unofficially it's also called "Flour City". "River City", "Mill City", "Jag City", "Corporate City" - after some of the City's other features.

We also have a strange word - "Outstate" - it means any part of Minnesota not in the Twin Cities area. I'm not really sure how they came up with that. It's not out-of-state it makes no sense. But what does?

((Deep, Scott! Real existentialism. I think I started the nickname thing when I mentioned that Toronto was named "Hoggtown" after a Captain Hogg. A sure way to make friends anywhere in Canada (Outside Toronto) is to start up a conversation about what a dump TO is. In TO you have to abuse Montrealers. If in doubt - abuse Buffalo.))

KATHY BYRNE: Also, tell the perverted Keith Sherwood to go out and buy Playboy if he wants nude women! I only get SK for the nude men. Where is my nude picture of Robert Blake? If I can't have him - i'll go with a Barry Hickey center-fold!

((Ever since I asked Dave Weatherhead to draw me a male nude cover he has been keeping his distance and now you want me to ask Barry Hickey if he will let me take a nude photo of him? Hows about a cute picture of Adam Carter getting his diaper changed?))

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Q: Why are there no Puerto Rican doctors? A: Cos you can't write prescriptions with spray paint.

Q: Why does Ray Charles smile all the time? A: Because he doesn't know he's black.

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